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ABSTRACT

Data in this collection of tables provide information about the freshman class entering the University of Wisconsin (UW) system in fall 2002. At that time, 83% of new UW freshmen were Wisconsin residents. Fifty-six percent were women, and 9% were students of color. Overall, 96% were conventional "admits." The majority (67%) of new freshmen scored above the national American College Testing program (ACT) average score of 21, and 46% were in the top quartile of their high school classes. Two appendixes contain data by institution. (Contains 2 figures and 16 tables.) (SLD)

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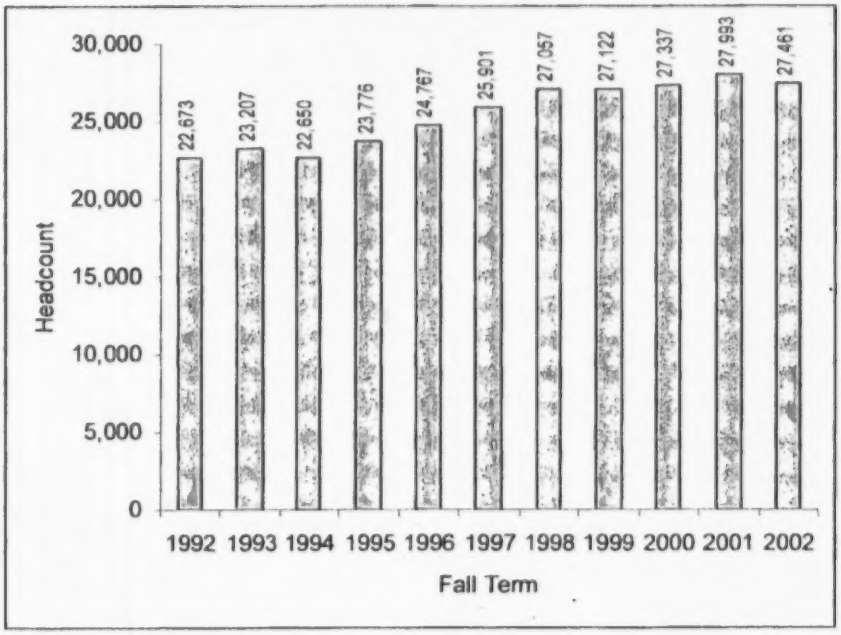
UW System New Freshman Headcount
Fall 1992 to Fall 2002



Highlights

Percentage of Fall 2002 UW System new freshmen who:

- are Wisconsin residents 83%
- are women 56%
- are students of color 9%
- were conventional admits 96%
- scored above the national ACT average score of 21 ..... 67%
- were in the top quartile of their high school classes 46%

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ENROLLMENT

HEADCOUNT

In Fall 2002, 27,461 new freshmen enrolled in the UW System (Table 1). This is a slight drop in enrollment from Fall 2001. The proportion of total institutional enrollment made up of new freshmen ranges from 11.0% at UW-Superior to 33.2% at UW Colleges.

Table 1
UW System New Freshman Headcount by Institution
Fall 2002

	#	% UWS New Freshmen	% Institutional Enrollment
Madison	5,514	20.1%	13.5%
Milwaukee	3,313	12.1%	13.6%
Eau Claire	2,057	7.5%	18.9%
Green Bay	916	3.3%	17.0%
La Crosse	1,555	5.7%	17.8%
Oshkosh	1,811	6.6%	16.1%
Parkside	832	3.0%	16.7%
Platteville	1,126	4.1%	19.0%
River Falls	1,060	3.9%	18.8%
Stevens Point	1,476	5.4%	17.0%
Stout	1,312	4.8%	16.6%
Superior	314	1.1%	11.0%
Whitewater	2,035	7.4%	18.9%
Colleges	4,140	15.1%	33.2%
Total	**27,461**	**100.0%**	**17.1%**

At 17.1% of UW System enrollment, new freshmen make up a higher percentage of enrollment than they did ten years ago and about the same percentage as five years ago (Table 2).

Table 2
UW System New Freshman Headcount by Institution
Fall 1992, Fall 1997, and Fall 2002

	1992			1997			2002		
	#	% of UWS NF Enroll	% of Inst. Enroll.	#	% of UWS NF Enroll	% of Inst. Enroll.	#	% of UWS NF Enroll	% of Inst. Enroll.
MSN	4,416	19.5%	10.6%	5,880	22.7%	14.8%	5,514	20.1%	13.5%
MIL	1,880	8.3%	7.7%	2,481	9.6%	11.2%	3,313	12.1%	13.6%
EAU	1,869	8.2%	17.9%	2,171	8.4%	20.7%	2,057	7.5%	18.9%
GBY	816	3.6%	16.5%	953	3.7%	17.5%	916	3.3%	17.0%
LAC	1,495	6.6%	17.9%	1,706	6.6%	18.8%	1,555	5.7%	17.8%
OSH	1,492	6.6%	13.6%	1,758	6.8%	16.6%	1,811	6.6%	16.1%
PKS	769	3.4%	15.3%	819	3.2%	17.4%	832	3.0%	16.7%
PLT	910	4.0%	17.3%	998	3.9%	19.8%	1,126	4.1%	19.0%
RVF	1,026	4.5%	18.9%	1,152	4.4%	21.3%	1,060	3.9%	18.8%
STP	1,398	6.2%	16.2%	1,551	6.0%	18.3%	1,476	5.4%	17.0%
STO	1,000	4.4%	13.6%	1,250	4.8%	16.9%	1,312	4.8%	16.6%
SUP	363	1.6%	12.4%	352	1.4%	13.7%	314	1.1%	11.0%
WTW	1,785	7.9%	16.9%	1,914	7.4%	18.1%	2,035	7.4%	18.9%
UWC	3,454	15.2%	31.7%	2,916	11.3%	32.8%	4,140	15.1%	33.2%
Total	**22,673**	**100.0%**	**14.5%**	**25,901**	**100.0%**	**17.2%**	**27,461**	**100.0%**	**17.1%**

DEMOGRAPHICS

RESIDENT STATUS

In Fall 2002, 83.2% of new freshmen were Wisconsin residents, 9.4% were enrolled under the Minnesota/ Michigan reciprocity agreements, and 7.3% were other non-resident new freshmen (Table 3).

Table 3
UW System New Freshmen by Resident Status and Institution
Fall 2002

	WI Resident		Non-Resident		Compact*		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
MSN	3,548	64.3%	1,347	24.4%	619	11.2%	5,514
MIL	3,184	96.1%	76	2.3%	53	1.6%	3,313
EAU	1,511	73.5%	16	0.8%	530	25.8%	2,057
GBY	861	94.0%	33	3.6%	22	2.4%	916
LAC	1,280	82.3%	48	3.1%	227	14.6%	1,555
OSH	1,770	97.7%	29	1.6%	12	0.7%	1,811
PKS	772	92.8%	55	6.6%	5	0.6%	832
PLT	1,024	90.9%	67	6.0%	35	3.1%	1,126
RVF	585	55.2%	47	4.4%	428	40.4%	1,060
STP	1,355	91.8%	63	4.3%	58	3.9%	1,476
STO	835	63.6%	34	2.6%	443	33.8%	1,312
SUP	191	60.8%	24	7.6%	99	31.5%	314
WTW	1,913	94.0%	111	5.5%	11	0.5%	2,035
UWC	4,028	97.3%	66	1.6%	46	1.1%	4,140
Total	**22,857**	**83.2%**	**2,016**	**7.3%**	**2,588**	**9.4%**	**27,461**

* Compact includes Minnesota and Michigan reciprocity agreements.

The proportion of new freshmen who enrolled under either the Minnesota or Michigan reciprocity agreements increased slightly from last year (Table 4). The proportion of other non-resident new freshmen, at 7.3%, is a drop from the previous levels found in 2000 and 2001. The proportion of new freshmen who are Wisconsin residents has ranged from 82 to 84 percent in the past ten years.

Table 4
UW System New Freshmen by Resident Status
Fall 1992 to Fall 2002

	WI Resident	Non-Resident	Compact*	Total
1991	83.6%	7.4%	9.0%	23,722
1992	84.0%	7.7%	8.3%	22,673
1993	83.9%	8.2%	7.9%	23,207
1994	82.5%	8.3%	9.1%	22,650
1995	82.7%	8.1%	9.1%	23,776
1996	82.2%	8.0%	9.6%	24,767
1997	82.0%	8.1%	9.7%	25,901
1998	82.3%	8.1%	9.5%	27,057
1999	83.2%	7.1%	9.7%	27,122
2000	82.3%	7.9%	9.8%	27,337
2001	82.6%	8.3%	9.1%	27,993
2002	83.2%	7.3%	9.4%	27,461

* Compact includes Minnesota and Michigan reciprocity agreements.

GENDER

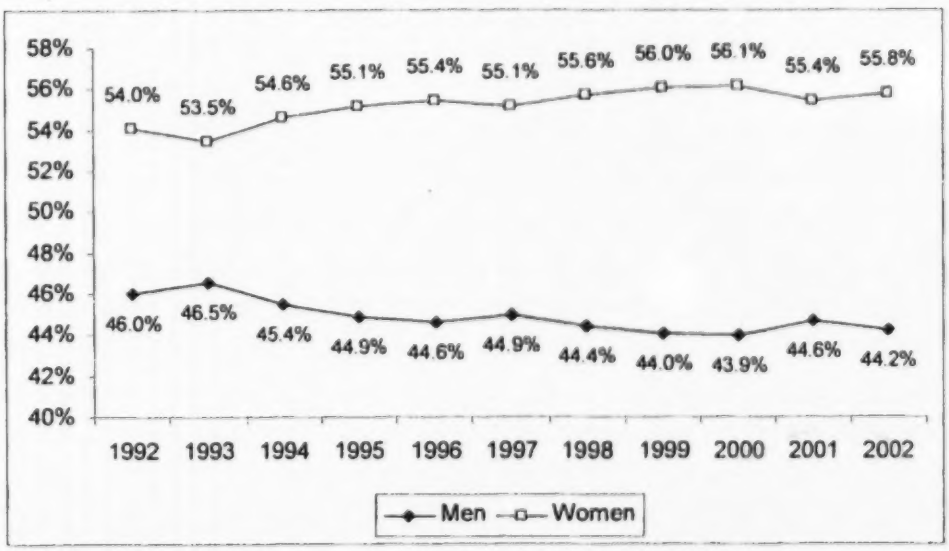
Female students comprised 55.8% of the new freshman class in Fall 2002, while male students comprised 44.2% (Table 5). The percentage of female students by institution ranged from 35.3% at UW-Platteville to 66.9% at UW-Green Bay.

Table 5
UW System New Freshmen by Gender and Institution
Fall 2002

	Female		Male		Total
	#	%	#	%	#
MSN	3,030	55.0%	2,484	45.0%	5,514
MIL	1,815	54.8%	1,498	45.2%	3,313
EAU	1,307	63.5%	750	36.5%	2,057
GBY	613	66.9%	303	33.1%	916
LAC	1,007	64.8%	548	35.2%	1,555
OSH	1,067	58.9%	744	41.1%	1,811
PKS	461	55.4%	371	44.6%	832
PLT	397	35.3%	729	64.7%	1,126
RVF	651	61.4%	409	38.6%	1,060
STP	815	55.2%	661	44.8%	1,476
STO	661	50.4%	651	49.6%	1,312
SUP	173	55.1%	141	44.9%	314
WTW	1,114	54.7%	921	45.3%	2,035
UWC	2,199	53.1%	1,941	46.9%	4,140
Total	**15,310**	**55.8%**	**12,151**	**44.2%**	**27,461**

Figure 1 shows the trend in new freshman enrollment by gender from Fall 1992 to Fall 2002. Female students have made up the majority of the UW System new freshman class for at least ten years. The gap between female and male students peaked in 2000 at 12.2 percentage points. The current gender gap (11.6 percentage points) is an increase over 2001.

Figure 1
UW System New Freshmen by Gender
Fall 1992 to Fall 2002



RACE/ETHNICITY

In Fall 2002, students of color made up 8.7% of the new freshman class while white students made up 90.3% and international students 1.0% (Table 6). The percentage of students of color by institution ranged from 3.6% at UW-Platteville to 17.6% at UW-Milwaukee.

Table 6
UW System New Freshmen by Race/Ethnicity and Institution
Fall 2002

	African American		Hispanic/ Latino		American Indian		Asian American		All Students of Color		Inter-national		White/ Unknown		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
MSN	141	2.6%	153	2.8%	26	0.5%	320	5.8%	640	11.6%	113	2.0%	4,761	86.3%	5,514
MIL	286	8.6%	113	3.4%	16	0.5%	168	5.1%	583	17.6%	15	0.5%	2,715	81.9%	3,313
EAU	8	0.4%	14	0.7%	11	0.5%	52	2.5%	85	4.1%	9	0.4%	1,963	95.4%	2,057
GBY	11	1.2%	8	0.9%	5	0.5%	31	3.4%	55	6.0%	17	1.9%	844	92.1%	916
LAC	9	0.6%	27	1.7%	10	0.6%	50	3.2%	96	6.2%	2	0.1%	1,457	93.7%	1,555
OSH	18	1.0%	26	1.4%	18	1.0%	42	2.3%	104	5.7%	5	0.3%	1,702	94.0%	1,811
PKS	71	8.5%	48	5.8%	2	0.2%	22	2.6%	143	17.2%	4	0.5%	685	82.3%	832
PLT	9	0.8%	10	0.9%	7	0.6%	14	1.2%	40	3.6%	4	0.4%	1,082	96.1%	1,126
RVF	17	1.6%	12	1.1%	3	0.3%	39	3.7%	71	6.7%	5	0.5%	984	92.8%	1,060
STP	15	1.0%	20	1.4%	9	0.6%	29	2.0%	73	4.9%	26	1 8%	1,377	93.3%	1,476
STO	11	0.8%	12	0.9%	4	0.3%	33	2.5%	60	4.6%	2	0.2%	1,250	95.3%	1,312
SUP	3	1.0%	4	1.3%	6	1.9%	5	1.6%	18	5.7%	15	4.8%	281	89.5%	314
WTW	80	3.9%	35	1.7%	8	0.4%	55	2.7%	178	8.7%	4	0.2%	1,853	91.1%	2,035
UWC	56	1.4%	68	1.6%	26	0.6%	102	2.5%	252	6.1%	51	1.2%	3,837	92.7%	4,140
Total	**735**	**2.7%**	**550**	**2.0%**	**151**	**0.5%**	**962**	**3.5%**	**2,398**	**8.7%**	**272**	**1.0%**	**24,791**	**90.3%**	**27,461**

Although there were some year to year fluctuations within categories, the Fall 2002 proportion of White new freshmen was an increase from 2001, which was the lowest in the past ten years. The proportion of students of color, at 8.7%, was the highest in the past ten years (Table 7).

Table 7
UW System New Freshmen by Race/Ethnicity
Fall 1992 to Fall 2002

	African American		Hispanic/ Latino		American Indian		Asian American		All Students of Color		Inter-national		White/ Unknown		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
1991	526	2.2%	342	1.4%	165	0.7%	534	2.3%	1,567	6.6%	249	1.0%	21,906	92.3%	23,722
1992	566	2.5%	387	1.7%	144	0.6%	557	2.5%	1,654	7.3%	287	1.3%	20,732	91.4%	22,673
1993	603	2.6%	400	1.7%	164	0.7%	563	2.4%	1,730	7.5%	241	1.0%	21,236	91.5%	23,207
1994	498	2.2%	401	1.8%	159	0.7%	547	2.4%	1,605	7.1%	257	1.1%	20,788	91.8%	22,650
1995	548	2.3%	389	1.6%	158	0.7%	564	2.4%	1,659	7.0%	274	1.2%	21,843	91.9%	23,776
1996	536	2.2%	371	1.5%	158	0.6%	596	2.4%	1,661	6.7%	275	1.1%	22,831	92.2%	24,767
1997	683	2.6%	468	1.8%	161	0.6%	608	2.3%	1,920	7.4%	309	1.2%	23,672	91.4%	25,901
1998	701	2.6%	492	1.8%	160	0.6%	700	2.6%	2,053	7.6%	298	1.1%	24,706	91.3%	27,057
1999	701	2.6%	525	1.9%	174	0.6%	721	2.7%	2,121	7.8%	299	1.1%	24,702	91.1%	27,122
2000	716	2.6%	532	1.9%	176	0.6%	789	2.9%	2,213	8.1%	315	1.2%	24,809	90.8%	27,337
2001	763	2.7%	598	2.1%	153	0.5%	893	3.2%	2,407	8.6%	380	1.4%	25,206	90.0%	27,993
2002	735	2.7%	550	2.0%	151	0.5%	962	3.5%	2,398	8.7%	272	1.0%	24,791	90.3%	27,461

AGE

UW System new freshmen age 19 and under make up the vast majority of new freshmen at 95.0%. The percentage of new freshmen age 20 and over is 5.0% for the UW System as a whole and ranges from 0.7% at UW-La Crosse and 0.7% at UW-Madison to 19.4% at UW-Superior (Table 8).

Table 8
UW System New Freshmen by Age Group
Fall 2002

	19 and Under		20 to 24		25 to 34		35 and Over		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
MSN	5,477	99.3%	31	0.6%	5	0.1%	1	0.0%	5,514
MIL	3,171	95.7%	107	3.2%	25	0.8%	10	0.3%	3,313
EAU	2,036	99.0%	16	0.8%	4	0.2%	1	0.0%	2,057
GBY	862	94.1%	33	3.6%	7	0.8%	14	1.5%	916
LAC	1,544	99.3%	10	0.6%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	1,555
OSH	1,739	96.0%	39	2.2%	15	0.8%	18	1.0%	1,811
PKS	748	89.9%	53	6.4%	23	2.8%	8	1.0%	832
PLT	1,101	97.8%	20	1.8%	4	0.4%	1	0.1%	1,126
RVF	997	94.1%	42	4.0%	12	1.1%	9	0.8%	1,060
STP	1,430	96.9%	33	2.2%	6	0.4%	7	0.5%	1,476
STO	1,273	97.0%	33	2.5%	6	0.5%	0	0.0%	1,312
SUP	253	80.6%	39	12.4%	12	3.8%	10	3.2%	314
WTW	1,993	97.9%	32	1.6%	6	0.3%	4	0.2%	2,035
UWC	3,474	83.9%	412	10.0%	158	3.8%	96	2.3%	4,140
Total	**26,098**	**95.0%**	**900**	**3.3%**	**284**	**1.0%**	**179**	**0.7%**	**27,461**

The proportion of UW System new freshmen age 19 and under has remained relatively stable over the past five years. However, the proportion had been increasing over the past ten years and is still considerably above the 1991 level. The current proportion of new freshmen in other age groups has decreased slightly or remained the same as compared with Fall 2001, and has been declining since 1991 (Table 9).

Table 9
UW System New Freshmen by Age Group
Fall 1992 to Fall 2002

	19 and Under		20 to 24		25 to 34		35 and Over		Total
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#
1991	21,442	95.7%	1,309	5.8%	672	3.0%	299	1.3%	22,413
1992	20,797	96.4%	1,100	5.1%	530	2.5%	246	1.1%	21,573
1993	21,366	96.5%	1,056	4.8%	543	2.5%	242	1.1%	22,151
1994	20,881	96.9%	1,094	5.1%	464	2.2%	211	1.0%	21,556
1995	22,187	97.3%	983	4.3%	415	1.8%	191	0.8%	22,793
1996	23,312	97.7%	913	3.8%	351	1.5%	191	0.8%	23,854
1997	24,479	98.0%	921	3.7%	341	1.4%	160	0.6%	24,980
1998	25,700	98.4%	931	3.6%	293	1.1%	133	0.5%	26,126
1999	25,854	98.5%	878	3.3%	263	1.0%	127	0.5%	26,244
2000	25,955	98.4%	954	3.6%	267	1.0%	161	0.6%	26,383
2001	26,439	98.0%	1,019	3.8%	357	1.3%	178	0.7%	26,974
2002	26,098	95.0%	900	3.3%	284	1.0%	179	0.7%	27,461

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ADMISSION CATEGORY

In Fall 2002, 95.6% of all UW System new freshmen were conventional admits (Table 10). Older new freshman, those 21 years of age and older as of September 1 of the fall they first enroll, comprised 1.8% of UW System new freshmen. New freshmen admitted as exceptions made up 2.6% of UW System new freshmen.

Table 10
UW System New Freshmen by Admission Category and Institution
Fall 2002

	Conventional		Non-Conventional			
	Standard & Discretionary	%	Older	%	Exception	%
MSN	5,361	97.2%	2	0.0%	151	2.7%
MIL	3,312	99.3%	1	0.0%	23	0.7%
EAU	2,035	98.9%	2	0.1%	20	1.0%
GBY	900	98.3%	2	0.2%	14	1.5%
LAC	1,543	99.2%	5	0.3%	7	0.5%
OSH	1,729	95.5%	47	2.6%	35	1.9%
PKS	726	87.3%	63	7.6%	43	5.2%
PLT	1,005	89.3%	6	0.5%	115	10.2%
RVF	1,022	96.4%	17	1.6%	21	2.0%
STP	1,424	96.5%	12	0.8%	40	2.7%
STO	1,233	94.0%	13	1.0%	66	5.0%
SUP	298	94.9%	12	3.8%	4	1.3%
WTW	1,919	94.3%	8	0.4%	108	5.3%
UWC	3,771	91.1%	294	7.1%	75	1.8%
Total	**26,278**	**95.6%**	**484**	**1.8%**	**722**	**2.6%**

The proportion of new freshmen admitted as conventional admits has ranged from 93.2% to 95.6% in the last decade (Table 11) and is currently at its highest level during this period. The percentage of new freshmen admitted in the "older" category has declined from 4.3% in Fall 1991 to a low of 1.8% in Fall 2002. The percentage of new freshmen admitted as exceptions has ranged from 2.0% to 3.1% since Fall 1991.

Table 11
UW System New Freshmen by Admission Category
Fall 1992 to Fall 2002

	Conventional		Non-Conventional			
	Standard & Discretionary	%	Older	%	Exception	%
1991	22,099	93.2%	1,031	4.3%	592	2.5%
1992	21,362	94.2%	821	3.6%	490	2.2%
1993	21,815	94.0%	940	4.1%	453	2.0%
1994	21,298	94.0%	822	3.6%	530	2.3%
1995	22,515	94.7%	759	3.2%	502	2.1%
1996	23,493	94.9%	634	2.6%	640	2.6%
1997	24,461	95.1%	580	2.3%	678	2.6%
1998	25,697	95.0%	590	2.2%	770	2.8%
1999	25,785	95.1%	529	2.0%	808	3.0%
2000	25,932	94.9%	566	2.1%	839	3.1%
2001	26,535	94.8%	678	2.4%	780	2.8%
2002	26,278	95.7%	484	1.8%	7,082	2.5%

ACT SCORES

Table 12 shows the average ACT composite scores of Fall 2002 new freshmen by institution. The average ACT composite score of new freshmen ranged from 27.2 at UW-Madison to 20.3 at UW-Parkside and the UW Colleges.

Table 12
UW System New Freshmen by ACT Composite Score and Institution
Fall 2002

	Average
MSN	27.2
MIL	21.9
EAU	23.6
GBY	22.6
LAC	24.4
OSH	21.6
PKS	20.3
PLT	22.3
RVF	22.3
STP	23.0
STO	21.4
SUP	22.0
WTW	22.0
UWC	20.3
UW System	**23.0**

The average ACT composite score of UW System new freshman test takers remained the same for the last five years (Table 13). The UW System new freshman average ACT composite score of 23.0 is over two test points higher than the national average of 21.0. Since 1992, the average ACT composite score of UW System new freshmen has ranged from 1.5 to 2.2 points above the national average.

Table 13
UW System New Freshmen by ACT Composite Score
Fall 1992 to Fall 2002

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
UW System New Freshmen	22.1	22.4	22.6	22.8	22.8	23.0	23.0	22.9	23.0	23.0	23.0
National Average	20.6	20.7	20.8	20.8	20.9	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	20.8

HIGH SCHOOL RANK

In Fall 2002, 46.4% of UW System new freshmen graduated from high school in the top 25% of their high school classes (Table 14). Almost four of every five Fall 2002 new freshmen graduated in the top half of their high school classes.

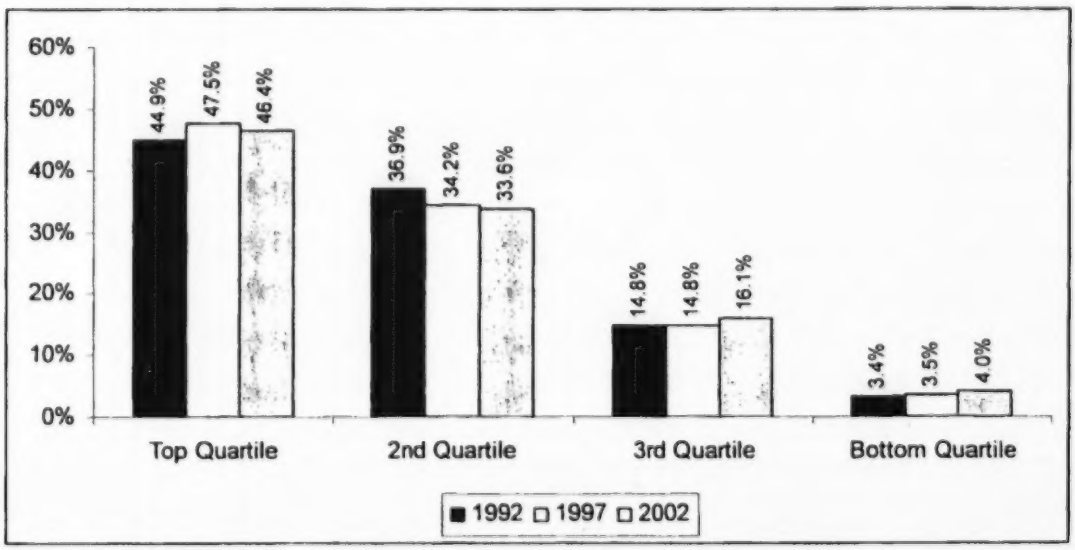
Table 14
UW System New Freshmen by High School Rank and Institution
Fall 2002

	Top Quartile		2nd Quartile		Top Half		3rd Quartile		Bottom Quartile	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
MSN	4,231	93.4%	253	5.6%	4,484	98.9%	43	0.9%	5	0.1%
MIL	889	29.1%	1,228	40.1%	2,117	69.2%	737	24.1%	206	6.7%
EAU	1,083	54.3%	765	38.4%	1,848	92.7%	145	7.3%	0	0.0%
GBY	407	48.3%	384	45.6%	791	93.9%	46	5.5%	5	0.6%
LAC	1,046	69.9%	421	28.1%	1,467	98.1%	27	1.8%	2	0.1%
OSH	507	31.4%	809	50.1%	1,316	81.4%	300	18.6%	0	0.0%
PKS	204	26.5%	226	29.4%	430	55.9%	238	30.9%	101	13.1%
PLT	380	35.0%	452	41.6%	832	76.5%	219	20.1%	36	3.3%
RVF	411	41.2%	408	40.9%	819	82.1%	160	16.0%	18	1.8%
STP	654	47.4%	673	48.8%	1,327	96.2%	52	3.8%	0	0.0%
STO	395	32.8%	598	49.6%	993	82.3%	181	15.0%	32	2.7%
SUP	92	35.5%	104	40.2%	196	75.7%	49	18.9%	14	5.4%
WTW	596	31.4%	877	46.2%	1,473	77.6%	388	20.5%	36	1.9%
UWC	604	16.4%	1,134	30.9%	1,738	47.3%	1,397	38.0%	540	14.7%
Total	**11,499**	**46.4%**	**8,332**	**33.6%**	**19,831**	**79.9%**	**3,982**	**16.1%**	**995**	**4.0%**

*Excludes students who did not have a high school rank.

The percentage of UW System new freshmen graduating in the top 25% of their high school classes is lower than the percentage five years ago, but higher than the percentage ten years ago (Figure 2).

Figure 2
UW System New Freshmen by High School Rank
Fall 1992, Fall 1997, and Fall 2002



Appendix A
UW System New Freshman Headcount by Institution
Fall 1972 to Fall 2002

	MSN	MIL	EAU	GBY	LAC	OSH	PKS	PLT	RVF	STP	STO	SUP	WTW	UWC	Total
1972	4,219	3,042	2,308	668	1,605	2,226	1,183	1,020	804	1,876	994	591	1,660	2,438	24,634
1973	4,263	3,575	2,207	549	1,640	1,941	1,065	877	787	1,614	1,001	558	1,559	2,932	24,568
1974	4,394	3,358	2,419	646	1,862	1,730	1,052	897	973	1,647	1,227	511	1,443	2,930	25,089
1975	4,654	3,171	2,483	575	1,942	1,889	1,026	1,081	1,117	1,879	1,111	508	1,757	3,453	26,646
1976	3,918	2,994	2,245	560	1,884	1,709	784	1,150	1,264	1,913	1,279	485	1,915	3,158	25,258
1977	4,217	2,741	2,623	563	2,140	1,666	783	1,154	1,154	2,053	1,291	553	1,826	3,293	26,057
1978	4,683	3,165	2,555	597	2,057	1,752	909	1,040	1,199	1,960	1,414	465	1,773	2,991	26,560
1979	4,836	2,833	2,695	677	2,176	1,851	1,009	1,107	1,245	1,970	1,407	425	2,026	3,104	27,361
1980	5,021	2,845	2,737	789	2,053	1,807	1,056	1,227	1,317	2,021	1,507	446	2,165	3,461	28,452
1981	4,683	2,808	2,441	773	2,040	2,004	1,045	1,297	1,294	1,966	1,375	404	2,195	3,505	27,830
1982	4,797	2,684	2,494	714	1,928	1,797	954	1,246	1,116	1,712	1,380	382	2,082	3,606	26,892
1983	5,110	2,847	2,475	693	2,028	1,771	1,075	1,201	1,082	1,727	1,374	347	2,135	3,872	27,737
1984	5,490	2,864	2,355	708	2,072	1,869	871	1,062	1,103	1,794	1,388	321	2,189	3,658	27,744
1985	5,687	2,747	2,387	811	2,131	1,804	817	1,176	1,001	1,887	1,436	333	2,253	3,481	27,951
1986	5,383	2,677	2,470	696	2,114	1,947	886	1,127	1,145	1,821	1,419	368	2,136	3,736	27,925
EM I															
1987	5,181	2,390	2,320	817	1,977	1,857	753	1,156	1,053	1,687	1,404	375	2,152	3,775	26,897
1988	5,934	2,647	2,277	862	1,890	1,837	942	1,059	1,048	1,700	1,361	411	1,898	4,238	28,104
1989	4,993	2,461	1,934	782	1,689	1,730	757	995	957	1,690	1,143	414	1,836	3,663	25,044
1990	4,699	2,446	1,736	746	1,622	1,608	782	943	939	1,580	1,130	346	1,953	3,565	24,095
EM II															
1991	4,642	2,153	1,796	829	1,655	1,455	760	1,027	1,054	1,505	1,177	478	1,819	3,372	23,722
1992	4,416	1,880	1,869	816	1,495	1,492	769	910	1,026	1,398	1,000	363	1,785	3,454	22,673
1993	4,631	1,930	1,956	770	1,702	1,514	783	950	846	1,375	1,030	344	1,845	3,531	23,207
1994	4,681	1,806	2,088	883	1,504	1,393	770	958	1,004	1,378	1,075	285	1,704	3,121	22,650
EM III															
1995	5,164	1,988	2,038	848	1,747	1,523	744	948	968	1,504	1,144	306	1,900	2,954	23,776
1996	5,455	2,253	2,048	1,027	1,735	1,559	686	965	1,161	1,586	1,287	324	1,842	2,839	24,767
1997	5,880	2,481	2,171	953	1,706	1,758	819	998	1,152	1,551	1,250	352	1,914	2,916	25,901
1998	5,596	2,699	2,156	1,035	1,744	1,923	883	1,122	1,207	1,517	1,345	396	1,931	3,503	27,057
1999	5,664	2,937	2,016	934	1,638	1,852	889	1,138	1,127	1,500	1,324	432	1,907	3,764	27,122
2000	5,736	2,979	2,094	996	1,614	1,652	823	1,003	1,126	1,530	1,322	421	2,077	3,964	27,337
EM21															
2001	6,095	3,034	2,136	920	1,593	1,871	926	1,094	1,117	1,518	1,289	351	1,895	4,154	27,993
2002	5,514	3,313	2,057	916	1,555	1,811	832	1,126	1,060	1,476	1,312	314	2,035	4,140	27,461

Note: EMI, EMII, and EMIII denote the years covered by the first, second, and third phases of Enrollment Management planning. EM21 is the name of the current initiative in Enrollment Management.

Appendix B
UW System New Freshmen by Average High School Percentile Rank and Institution
Fall 1976 to Fall 2002

	MSN	MIL	EAU	GBY	LAC	OSH	PKS	PLT	RVF	STP	STO	SUP	WTW	UWC	Overall
1976	81.2	66.9	70.9	67.8	65.8	58.8	63.3	66.8	60.4	61.1	61.8	65.3	63.3	60.9	66.8
1977	80.2	68.6	70.6	68.1	64.7	67.6	62.9	66.9	62.5	63.6	61.4	59.4	65.2	61.6	67.2
1978	79.5	65.8	70.4	65.1	66.9	58.2	62.4	67.2	62.6	64.5	60.4	62.2	63.6	61.8	67.1
1979	79.3	66.2	70.7	64.5	65.5	59.1	62.9	64.5	62.1	62.8	60.9	63.2	64.4	61.7	66.9
1980	79.8	64.8	69.9	64.8	65.7	60.2	60.9	64.9	62.2	62.2	60.4	59.0	64.6	58.9	66.3
1981	80.7	64.0	73.8	64.1	66.2	60.0	60.7	65.9	61.6	62.5	59.1	61.4	64.9	59.1	66.5
1982	80.0	67.1	72.0	62.8	64.4	60.3	62.0	63.3	63.4	61.2	57.0	64.1	63.5	58.7	66.3
1983	80.2	66.0	70.5	66.2	63.2	62.0	59.2	61.9	61.2	62.0	55.6	58.6	63.1	56.9	65.6
1984	78.9	67.0	68.6	65.7	63.0	62.6	59.6	63.3	60.0	61.7	53.2	59.1	60.7	57.3	65.3
1985	79.1	66.6	67.9	64.8	63.2	61.3	59.6	63.3	59.7	60.2	53.6	59.2	60.8	55.0	65.0
1986	78.6	66.5	69.2	63.4	61.6	62.0	60.2	63.2	58.6	61.6	54.9	58.7	62.8	53.8	64.7
EM I															
1987	80.6	65.7	68.4	63.6	63.0	63.0	60.7	65.3	60.3	65.8	56.4	60.6	64.3	51.4	65.4
1988	79.9	64.2	72.6	67.5	67.0	66.2	57.8	64.5	64.1	67.1	58.0	62.8	68.0	51.2	66.5
1989	81.4	62.9	67.4	68.8	70.0	66.4	62.9	68.4	63.9	67.6	60.7	62.6	69.8	53.7	68.2
1990	81.7	62.6	67.1	68.7	70.0	68.6	60.5	67.4	64.9	65.7	57.8	60.2	68.6	51.2	67.4
EM II															
1991	81.2	62.8	74.8	69.2	69.4	69.5	59.2	68.5	64.1	69.3	54.9	61.9	66.6	51.7	67.3
1992	82.2	62.7	75.1	71.5	70.7	71.6	58.5	71.0	66.7	70.4	63.7	65.9	65.1	51.1	68.4
1993	82.9	61.3	72.9	72.9	72.5	71.7	58.1	71.2	70.8	70.9	64.4	65.7	65.2	50.5	68.5
1994	84.6	60.7	72.8	70.9	74.9	71.3	59.0	70.3	69.1	72.7	61.2	63.9	64.9	50.3	69.1
EM III															
1995	85.6	59.7	72.4	73.2	74.8	68.9	58.3	68.2	67.6	71.7	60.1	63.9	64.7	49.6	69.1
1996	84.6	58.3	71.2	70.1	75.3	66.9	59.6	68.9	70.7	69.1	60.6	64.0	65.7	50.9	68.9
1997	85.0	58.9	71.7	71.4	76.3	67.8	59.0	67.3	70.5	71.1	61.9	62.5	64.3	50.1	69.1
1998	86.2	58.5	73.1	71.4	77.6	68.2	56.8	67.6	70.6	73.0	63.4	60.9	64.5	50.1	69.0
1999	86.3	58.5	74.8	72.4	78.4	66.9	56.3	66.8	70.8	72.7	62.5	61.8	63.9	49.1	68.5
2000	86.8	58.5	74.2	72.2	79.0	66.6	56.0	64.9	69.8	73.5	64.0	63.1	63.4	47.8	68.3
EM21															
2001	87.7	59.1	73.4	73.1	78.9	64.8	56.1	65.9	68.5	71.9	64.6	66.0	62.8	48.2	68.5
2002	88.6	59.9	74.8	72.8	80.0	65.2	54.2	64.4	68.3	73.2	64.8	63.0	64.2	49.3	68.5

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